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In re Application of:

Frederick F. Becker et al.

Serial No.: 09/902,933

Filed: July 10, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

PROGRAMMABLE FLUIDIC PROCESSING

Group Art Unit: 1753

Examiner: Alexander Stephan Noguerola

Atty. Dkt. No.: UTXC:569USC1

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In re Application of:

FREDERICK F. BECKER, ET AL.

Serial No.: 09/249,955

Filed: FEBRUARY 12, 1999

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROGRAMMABLE FLUIDIC

PROCESSING

Group Art Unit: 1743

Examiner: A. NOGUEROLA

Atty. Dkt. No.: UTXC:569

# PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §§ 3.71 and 3.73(b) AND CHANGE OF CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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The undersigned, being Assignee of record of the entire interest in the above-identified application by virtue of an assignment recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office as set forth on the attached Power of Attorney, hereby elects, under 37 C.F.R. § 3.71, to prosecute the application to the exclusion of the inventors.

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I, Cullen M. Godfrey, Vice Chancellor and General Counsel, certify that the BOARD OF REGENTS, THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SYSTEM, is the assignee of the entire interest in each of the below-referenced U.S. patent applications. Documentary evidence of chain of title from the original owner to the BOARD OF REGENTS, THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SYSTEM, has been filed with and recorded by the United States Patent and Trademark Office at each of the below-referenced Reel and Frame numbers.

The evidentiary documents referred to in the instant Revocation and Power of Attorney have been reviewed by the undersigned; and it is certified that, to the best of the knowledge and belief of the BOARD OF REGENTS, THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SYSTEM, title is in the BOARD OF REGENTS, THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SYSTEM.

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